### INTEREST FROM NEWS OF

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells carpets and rugs. Gas fixtures and globes at Bixby's. Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel, Wollman, scientific optician, 49 B way. W. J. Hostetter, dentist, Baldwin block. Leffert, jeweler, optician, 236 Broadway. J. A. Snow, auctioneer, B way, opp. P. O.

Mrs. J. H. Graves has gone to Chicago on New novelties for Easter gifts. C. E. Alexander & Co., 333 B way. Ed White of Oakland, Ia., was in this city yesterday visiting friends.

W. F. Graff, undertaker and disinfector, 101 South Main street. Phone 506. Get your work done at the popular Eagle aundry, 724 Broadway. 'Phone 157. Morgan & Klein, upholstering, furniture repairing, mattress making, 122 S. Main st. Mrs. D. J. Clark has gone to Colorado for several weeks for the benefit of her health.

Fred Johnson, superintendent of carriers t the postoffice, is kept to his home by

City Clerk Phillips has reappointed Harry Brown his assistant and clerk of the su-Hugh Craig, formerly clerk at the Savery house in Des Meines, has become night clerk at the Grand hotel.

Gladys, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. funt, 1294 North Twenty-ninth street, who as been seriously ill, is improving. A want ad in The Bee will bring results e same attention given to a want ad in uncil Bluffs as at the Omaha office. Concordia lodge No. 52, Knights Pythias, will meet in Hughes' hall tonig for work in the first and second ranks. tonight At the meeting of the Elks lodge to-night the question of adopting rules for the new clubhouse will come up for action.

Pottawattamie tribe No. 21, Improved
Order of Red Men, will meet tonight in
Marcus' hall to work the adoption degree. Mrs. Sable Amy Strong of Chicago is yisiting her aunt, Mrs. G. A. Haynes, 523 Main street, and other relatives in this

A marriage license was issued yesterday to George T. Cornish, aged 25, and Mildred Rich, aged 21, both of Omaha. They were married by Justice Bryant.

Mrs. W. F. Sapp, who was recently removed to her home on Oakland avenue from the Woman's Christian Association hospital, is slowly improving. J. M. Baber will have a hearing before

J. M. Baber will have a hearing better Justice Ferrier this morning on the charge of assaulting Owen Curatingham with intent to do him great bodily injury. The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's English Lutheran church will meet tomor-row afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. V. Williams, 816 Commercial street.

L. P. Judson, 929 Sixth avenue, telephone city, for rent. Separate improvements

Daniel L. Lillard, general agent of the Travelers' Insurance company of Hartford, Conn., with headquarters at Davenport, Ia., is guest of W. B. Huston and family. Mount Calvary Commandery, Knights Templar, of Omaha, will attend with the local commandery the Easter services Sun-day morning in St. Paul's Episcopal church. Harry VanBrunt is home from the Cul-yer (Ind.) Military academy to spend the Easter vacation with his parents. Harry Schultze of Cairo, Ill., a fellow cadet, is his

In compliance with the request of the gun to tear up the tracks of the old Man-awa railway on Ninth street, south from Broadway.

A Sunday school convention will be in the Swedish Baptist church at Avenue D and Williams street beginning temorrow evening and lasting over Sunday. Services will be each day at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. school convention will be Several shares of Colorado mining stock have been found among the effects of Gli-bert J. Moffet, attached by Mrs. Kelley for a board bill, and she expects to realize the ludgment she secured in Justice Bryant's

These building permits were issued yesterday: Hans Anderson, one-story frame addition to residence at 217 Avenue H, \$400; E. H. Sheafe & Co., remodeling Grand Hotel annex, \$2.500; A. Marcus, one-story brick store building at 544 West Broadway, 11 cm.

The new hese wagon constructed under he supervision of Chief Templeton has een completed and will be placed in service at No. 4 hose house. The wagon has been constructed on the running gear of a hose cart bought for the department twenty years ago. It will hold 1,200 feet of hose. The receipts in the general fund at the Christian home last week amounted to \$25.73, being \$628.73 in excess of the estimated needs for the current expenses of the week, and this amount was placed to the credit of the centingent fund. The receipts in the manager's fund were \$73.25 above the needs of the week.

Mrs. Sarah Platt Vandercook, aged 73 years, died yesterday morning at her home, 104 Fourth street. The body will be taken to New Lisbon, Wis. Three daughters survive her, Mrs. H. G. Warnock of Redfield, S. D.; Mrs. N. A. Crawford of this city and Miss Anna Vandercook, teacher in the Washington Avenue school.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., terepnone 250.

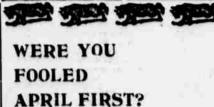
Davis sells glass. BOARD REORGANIZES.

C. A. Tibbits is President and Frank Peterson Secretary.

The Board of Park Commissioners reor ganized last night by electing C. A. Tibbits president and Frank Peterson secretary. City Treasurer True will act as custodian of the park funds without remuneration. These park policemen were elected: Fair mount park, J. M. Murphy, \$50 a month;

Cochran park. D. Mottaz, \$45 a month; Bayliss park, J. W. Kirk, \$40 a month: Lake View park, A. J. Schill, \$10 a month after and \$5 during the winter months. The bills for the preceding month were

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broad'y.



You were if you bought a pair of shoes without see ng those elegant styles at our store, where your money goes into the best values ever offered in footwear. 36 36

SARGENT'S



FARM LOANS Negotiated in Eastern Nebraska and lowa. James N. Casady, ir., 126 Main St., Council Bluffs.

LEWIS CUTLER **Funeral Director** 

## THIS HOUSE FATED TO BURN

Combination of Circumstances Puts It Far Beyond Saving.

Mrs. C. E. H. Campbell is visiting in Chi- LAMP BREAKS, MATCHES EXPLODE IN OIL days.

Chemical Engine Sticks in Mud and Building is Too Far Above Water Pressure for an Adequate Stream.

The dwelling of O. C. Fuller, manager of the Postal Telegraph company in Omaha, at \$19 Madison avenue, Council Bluffs, with its contents, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Fuller, while attempting to place a Stephen H. Connor has returned from Mrs. Fuller, while attempting to place a stability, where he has been visiting his stopper in the flue in the dining room, let it drop. The stopper struck and broke a fifteen feet from these lots abutting on lamp standing on a table nearby and by Broadway to F. C. Glass. The city coun-Mr. and Mrs. A. McTwigan left yester-day for a two weeks visit with relatives in St. Louis. The burning matches communicated with holding that it had been made for the purthe oil from the broken lamp and in a pose of defeating the assessment. few seconds the room was ablaze.

The department had great difficulty in reaching the scene of the fire, owing to questions are apt to be and can be deterthe condition of the street. The chemical mined in the case at bar that will affect The house stood forty feet above the level since the suit was begun is too short for of the reservoir on Park avenue and, al- him to go to trial. He also sets up that had to be laid from the nearest hydrant most interested in the result of the suit, and this, with the elevation of the build- should be made a party defendant. ing, prevented a sufficient pressure for effective work.

The house was owned by Mrs. Goodyear and was known as the Scofield homestead. It was insured for \$1,000, while the loss is estimated at \$1,500. Mr. Fuller carried Requisition papers for the return to this city of John Wall, alias Armstrong, under will not cover his loss, as everything in arrest in Omaha, are being secured by the house was destroyed. Mrs. Fuller established on caping with only the clothing she had on.

Explosion at Gas Works. The explosion of a small tank at the Pintsch Gas works on Ninth avenue and Eighteenth street yesterday afternoon at I o'clock did considerable damage and operations will have to be suspended for several days until the repairs are made.

The explosion was caused by a small leak in the tank between the holder and storage tank. A big hole was blown in the year guaranty to keep the paving in repair, roof and the partition wall between the office and the storage room was tumbled down by the force of the explosion. All last for a period of five years or more and , has an 800-acre stock farm and 100-acre the doors and windows of the plant were fruit and grain farm, three miles north of blown out, the total damage being estimated by Manager Copley in the neighborhood of \$500.

None of the employes was injured, although several had narrow escapes from being hit by flying bricks and pieces of the roof. Work on repairing the damage was commenced within an hour after the

The Pintsch works supply compressed gas for the railway cars, the plant being in the vicinity of the Union Pacific tansfer. The explosion was heard distinctly downtown.

NAMES COMMITTEE ON CONGER. Mayor Jennings Selects Citizens to

Prepare Reception. Mayor Jennings has called a public meeting for tomorrow night at the city hall to arrange for the reception to Minister Conger on his arrival in Council Bluffs. The proclamation was issued by Mayor Jennings yesterday:

Reliable information brings the announcement that Minister Conger, who has rendered high service to the world and who has so greatly honored this state and nation, is returning home from a foreign land. It is expected he will arrive in San Francisco about April 16, reaching Council Bluffs April 15. His arrival here will be the signal for such an expression of welcome as has seldom been extended to one to flowa's loval sons. It is but fitting that this hearty approval of his services to his state and country should be given him when he first steps upon lowa soil. In order to prepare for this welcome I have appointed the following committee to meet Thursday evening. April 4, at 8 o'clock in the city hall to make such arrangements as may be deemed advisable for this auspicious occasion: Reliable information brings the announce-

as may be deemed advisable for this auspictous occasion:
W. I. Smith, G. F. Wright, Lucius Wells, I. M. Treynor, E. E. Aylesworth, J. J. Stewart, J. N. Baldwin, Henry W. Rothert, V. E. Bender, C. R. Hannan, Emmett Tinley, C. G. Saunders, M. F. Roher, J. B. Atkins, C. W. McDonald, E. H. Lougee, C. M. Harle, John Schoentgen, E. H. Merriam, William Arnd, H. M. Metz, N. P. Dodge, F. H. Hill, B. M. Sargent, Spencer Smith, W. H. Hill, B. M. Sargent, Spencer Smith, W. J. Davenport, John Beno and S. B. Wadsworth, VICTOR JENNINGS, Mayor,

The arrangements for the reception will necessarily depend to a great extent on the time that Minister Conger will be able to spend in Council Bluffs. This cannot be ascertained until he reaches San Francisco. It will be the duty of the committee appointed by the mayor to communicate with Mr. Conger as soon as he reaches this country and learn from him his wishes and intentions, so that definite arrangements for the reception can be carried Pacific Railway company was begun out without further delay.

All of the men appointed on the comdo all in their power to make the reception one worthy of the distinguished guest and the city of Council Bluffs.

RAILROADS IN POTTAWATTAMIE.

County Auditor Gets Valuation Record from State Council. County Auditor Innes has received from roads in Pottawattamie county for 1901. The engine. total assessed valuation is \$1,406,983.44 upon mileage of 162,534 miles. The following shows the mileage of each railroad in the county and the assessed valuation per mile:

Chicago & Northwestern 19.06 Value Per Mile.
Chicago, Burlington & \$11.895
Quincy Chicago, Burlington Quincy Per Mile. Quincy, Red Oak & Atlan-tic branch 3,500 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Hastings & Avoca railroad 3.600 railroad
Chicago, Milwaukee & St.
Paul, Chicago & Council
Bluffs division
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, Iowa division
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Carson, branch .45.04 chicago, Rock Island & Pa-cific, Carson branch
Chicago, Rock Island & Pa-cific, Harlan branch
Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs
Omaha Bridge and Ter-minal
Omaha & St. Louis 6.714 

TWO DEPUTY SHERIFFS

Baker Has Ribs Fractured and ning is Bruised. Deputy Sheriffs Baker and Canning were

They were breaking in a team of bronchos which they had hitched to a light buggy. Baker was in the buggy, holding the reins, while Canning was adjusting a part of the harness, when the animals became (Successor to W. C. Estep) restive and tried to break away. Canning the chant the trip.

heavily against the curbing. Baker was unable to hold the animals and they started on a gallop, but had not gone more than half a block when they ran the buggy Two Orphans Who Wed Discover They Are against a tree. Baker was thrown out and the bronchos and the buggy parted compuny. The horses, with a remnant of the barness still clinging to them, were found several hours later in the vicinity of

Mynster Springs. Baker received a number of bad cuts in addition to breaking two ribs. Canning was brulsed and his right side was in jured. Both expect to be laid up several

MOVES FOR A CONTINUANCE.

City Solleitor Wadsworth Seeks for Time in Assessment Case. City Solicitor Wadsworth yesterday filed a motion in the district court for a continuance in the case of J. J. Steadman, trustee against the City of Council Bluffs. This is the suit in which Steadman and others are attempting to defeat the assessment against three lots on Broadway for the paving laid last fall. After the city had proposed to pave this portion of Broadway Steadman, as trustee for himself, J. P. Greenshields and City Assessor Everest conveyed a strip of cil in assessing the cost of the improvement ignored this conveyance of the strip

In the motion filed yesterday the city solicitor sets up that as many important engine got stuck in a mudhole up to the the city's interest and rights in projected hubs and it took four horses to drag it out. and contemplated improvements, the time though the waterworks company put on a certain material witnesses are out of the pressure of 149 pounds, the firemen were jurisdiction of the court and that their unable to get a sufficient stream on the testimony cannot be procured. He further burning building. A thousand feet of hose says that B. P. Wickham, being the party

Attacks Merits of Conveyance, Supporting the motion is an affidavit from City Solicitor Wadsworth, in which he attacks the genuineness of the conveyance of the fifteen-foot strip by Steadman and his possible, the assessment for the cost of the paving. He asserts that Glass is not the bona fide owner of the strip, but that he became owner of the same in connivance and collusion with the owners of the remaining portions of the lots for the sole purpose of defeating the assessment. He says be caused a subpoena to be issued for Glass, but that person cannot be found. Regarding the point raised by Steadman that the assessment is invalid, inasmuch as it covers the extra expense for the five-

that the guaranty did not enter into the cost of the improvement. Judge Wheeler is still kept to his bed court today. The Steadman suit was as-

the city solicitor says that the pavement

laid and the material supplied ought to

signed for today. ALARMED AT SMALLPOX BILLS,

ounty Supervisors Refer Them to the County Attorney. The Board of County Supervisors when confronted yesterday with the bills for caring for the smallpox cases throughout the they were all referred to him for his opin-

ion as to the county's liability. A second communication from the city electrician calling attention to the necessity of rewiring the court house and county jail prempted the board to accept Israel Lovett's bid to rewire the court house for \$215 and the jail for \$46.

A number of road matters occupied the attention of the supervisors the greater

part of the day. These justices and constables were appointed to fill vacancies in the several townships: Justices - Grove township, Rufus Lyman; Keg Creek, Christ Hemann; Lincoln, J. M. Stevens, M. Howard; Pleasant, J. N. Frum; Rockford, T. Ryan; Washington, J. H. Turner; Waveland, B. F. Babb; York, R. V. Churchill. Constables-Crescent township, Denver Hough; Grove, Adrian Osler, J. L. Caldwell; Layton, D Polkingham; Lincoln, Daniel D. Dennyer; Rockford, F. E. Myers; Waveland, J. H. Me-

The board expects to elect a janitor for the county court house today. J. J. Ferguson has withdrawn his proposi tion to ferret out taxable property.

Buy your trees, shruts and roses of Meneray. Orders filled by mail or express. 622 East Broadway, Council Bluffs, Ia.

SUES THE UNION PACIFIC Lawrence T. Brown Wants Thirty

Judge Smith McPherson reconvened fed eral court yesterday morning, when the trial of the personal injury damage suit of Lawrence T. Brown against the Union

Brown was a switchman in the employ of the Burlington and was crossing the tracks mittee signified their willingness to act and of the Union Pacific and Burlington on the front board of a switch engine when a jolt caused him to lose his balance and fall under the engine. No bones were broken, but Brown claims his leg was permanently injured and that he was otherwise hurt. He asks for \$35,000 from the Union Pacific alleging that it was the uneveness of the company's track that the state council the valuation of the rail- caused the jar and threw him from the

> The hearing of the motion of the de fendants for a new trial in the case of M. E. Smith & Co. of Omeha against Martin Neal and others has been set for tomor-

Judge McPherson is preparing to hear the several petitions of intervention in the matter of the receivership of the Omaha

Rubber stamps at DeLong's, 307 B'way. COMPLETES MARCH MILK TEST.

Inspector Groneweg Files His Repor of Percentages.

W. A. Groneweg, city milk inspector, has 11,000 completed his report of the tests made average crop or better unless unfavorable 2 p. m., roping and tying of steers, prize during March of the product sold by the local dairies. The tests showed the following percentages, which are up to the required standard O. N. Applequist, 3.20; P. J. Arnold, 3.80; H. Allen, 3.35; E. S. Boal, 3.75; George

4.020 Bodurtha, 3.50; Ray Cook, 3.80; G. W. Cook, 4.20; G. E. Ellsworth, 3.30; E. Easdale, 3.50; A. C. Ellsworth, 3.30; O. Ewall, 2,589 3.20; C. E. Hinman, 4; A. J. Hutchinson, 4; Mrs. C. Jepson, 3.40; A. Johnson, 3.25; Chris Jensen, 3.20; D. A. Levenburg, 3.80; Sophie Leonard, 3.40; H. H. Martin, 3.75; Charles Merriam, 3; P. Nelson, 3.20; Frank Peterson, 3.85; James Ray, 4; Roach & Co., 3.60; haken up and bruised in a runaway yes- | George Sherrer, 3.90; F. E. Wolcott, 3.60; terday afternoon on North Eighth street Waterloo Creamery company (milk), 2.50 and Baker suffered the fracture of two Waterloo Creamery company (cream), 22.80;

Barrymore in Private Asylum. NEW YORK, April 2.—Maurice Barry-more was taken this evening from Bellevue hospital to Brunswick home, a private in-sane asylum, near Amityville, L. 1. He was accompanied by hts son and two atdants, and made no objection to taking

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Closely Related.

DES MO.NES-NEWTON TROLLEY LINE

Refuses to Pardon Person Convicted of Patricide-Raised Bills Circulating in Lucas County-Evangelienl Churches Prosperous.

DES MOINES, April 2 .- (Special.)-The facts concerning a peculiar complication in the matter of marriages came to light here today in the filing of a petition for divorce by a Minneapolis man, the defendant being married woman of this city. It seems that five years ago one Jacob Atwood came from an eastern state to Minneapolis and settled. He met a Miss Jeanette Atwood and in due time they were married. Both were orohans and knew little of their families. But after a time it became whispered about that they were closely related and that their marriage was one forbidden by the Minnesota statutes. Investigation followed and after considerable correspondence they discovered that Atwood had married his niece, although she is several years his senior. They immediately separated, but as gossip did not cease in the neighborhood she came to Des Moines a few years ago. Under Minnesota laws the marriage was illegal. She met a prosperous Des Moines man and

Now Atwood desires also to be married again and he today filed a petition for divorce, which seems to be required under the Minnesota law, even though the marriage was illegal. When the papers were served on the woman here she declared that her present husband knows nothing of her former mis-mating, but the divorce will be quietly granted in due time.

To Build Rural Trolley Line.

information was received today to the effect that the Cleveland (O.) syndicate which purposes building a trolley line from partners to Giass and claims that it was Des Moines to Newton and possibly into made for the direct purpose of defeating, if northern lows, is preparing to commence work at an early day. Mrs. R. D. Butler, who is at the head of the syndicate, de clares that the project is a sure go. surveying has been practically all done and the concessions will be granted. A local lawyer has been representing himself to be an agent of the syndicate, but the syndicates repudiates him. He has been attempting to secure bonuses for the line in the city and has failed and now the company declares no bonuses are sought or will be accepted.

Will Not Be Pardoned.

Although great pressure has been brought on Governor Shaw to grant a pardon or parole to Henry Wilcox of Calhoun county the governor has refused to interfere in case. Wilcox is a young man found and it is doubtful if he will be able to hold guilty of having killed his father. He received a short sentence and an attempt has been made to secure his pardon before he goes to the penitentiary. Many of the people of the county believe he should not be punished and that he really killed his father in self-defense.

Hardin County Nominations.

follows: Representative and decided not to take any action looking Alden; treasurer, H. S. Martin of Eldora to their payment until they had been sheriff, A. W. Mitterer of Hubbard; sur passed upon by the county attorney, so veyor, J. C. Crockett of Eldora; coroner W. H. Lewis of Alden; superintendent of schools, Ella Chassell of Iowa Falls. The sheriff received a nomination for third term.

Raised Bills Are Common. Considerable amounts of raised bank bills

investigation is being had with a view to disclosing the origin of the frauds. A boy, Bert Fry of Lucas, passed a bill in a store in Chariton which had been raised from \$2 to \$20. He was afterward arrested, but contends that the bill had been received by him from other persons and he supposed it was a \$20 bill. After the arrest it was discovered that a number of similar raised bills had been put in circulation in various parts of the county. Printers of lows to Meet.

A call has been issued for a state meeting of the Iowa Printing Trades' association in Sioux City at the time of the meeting of the State Federation of Labor, May 7 next The call is issued by J. P. Byrne, president of the association, and it includes five unions only, but these are sufficient to

guarantee a large attendance. Evangelical Churches.

Rev. J. E. Stauffacher, presiding elder of the Des Moines conference of the United Evangelical church, returned today from Cedar Rapids, where he had been in at tendance at the general state conference of the church for the last week. The reports of Rev. Mr. Stauffacher and of Rev. G. W. Mullan, the other presiding elder in Iowa, showed that the church has made rapid progress the last year, the increase in membership being marked. New churches have been built in Waterloo and near Atkins, and new parsonages built or purchased at Blairstown, Center Point, Alburnett and Bolan, Rev. T. M. Evans of Water loo was elected a trustee of Western Union college at Lemars. Rev. G. W. Mullan was elected fraternal delegate to the Northwest- count of errors in the journal.

ern conference. Elected Alderman.

B. F. Prunty was elected alderman in the First ward of Des Moines at a special election held today. He fills the vacancy caused by the death a short time ago of Alderman Fagen. Prunty had no opposition after his nomination.

Condition of lows Fruit.

Secretary Greene of the State Horticultural society is engaged in compliing re ports from the counties showing the condition of fruit. From the reports from forty ounties he finds the following to be the of 100 per cent: Apples, 85 per cent; pears, 86; cherries, 85; peaches, 82; plums, American, 87; plums, European, 80; plums, Japan. grapes, uncovered, 82; raspberries, red. raspberries, black, 74: blackberries, 85; strawberries, 84. It will thus be seen that the condition of the fruit trees presages an annual meeting of stockmen's association; feather should follow in the spring months. Adelbert Dewey Makes Tour of State.

FORT DODGE, 1a., April 2 .- (Special.) --Adelbert M. Dewey, special agent of the United States Department of Labor, is in the city to investigate the labor difficulties have occurred in Webster county and vicinity during late years. Mr. Dewey is related to Admiral Dewey and is well known as an author, journalist and lecturer. He will remain in the city for several days. Mr. Dewey is accompanied by State Labor Commissioner C. F. Wennerstrum of Des Moines, who is making the tour in order to secure information as to ernoon. Coroner Crane is holding an ingovernment methods, which may be applied quest on the body tenight. with success to state business.

Plat for New Town.

FORT DODGE, Ia., April 2 .- (Special.) --A plat has been filed at the office of the

established by the Carbon Plaster company. The town is located at the intersection of the Mason City & Fort Dodge and Illinois Central railroads and it is expected that

### will experience a rapid growth. MAY MARRY SISTER-IN-LAW

Keokuk Presbytery Vote to Allow Widows More Liberty in Pursuit of Happiness.

Telegram.)—The Keokuk presbytery of the sicians in attendance, but his condition stances perfectly well."

United Presbyterian church today voted to baffled their skill. Then it chanced that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery change the doctrine so that a man can a pamphlet was put into his hands. He has an unsurpassed record as a blood marry a sister of his deceased wife. This read of cures of men and women whose purifying medicine. question has agitated the church for fifteen years and is now being finally voted on by the presbyteries in the United States. The for a bettle at once." general assembly in Des Moines in May will finally decide the question.

HOMEOPATHISTS ARE GRADUATED.

Twenty-Third Annual Commencement at lown State University. IOWA CITY, April 2.-(Special.)-The wenty-third annual commencement of the gets out of order the same conditions fol- of the blood the currupting poisons and im-College of Homeopathy was held today at the State university. Although the medical building was destroyed by fire a few days ago the school term was so near ended that it interfered but little w a the class work. All the dissecting had been done and nothing was left but a few lectures and reviews. Judge Charles A. Bishop of Des Moines was the speaker to the class. The following were the candidates for doctors' degree: G. W. Anderson, Dysart; Elmer Babcock, Eldora; E. C. Kauffman, Union; E. D. Kemp, Iowa City; F./T. Laundon, Orient; H. E. Martin, Boone; G. J. Musgrove, Farmington; P. L. Parsons, Traer; I. O. Pond, Gladbrook; F. O. Richards, Iowa City: G. A. Sarchet, Center Point; Charles G. Snitkay, Iowa City; W. H. Stokes, Bradgate; G. J. Wenzlik, Iowa City; L. A. Winkinson, Hedrick, and L. E. Winter, Hampton, Ill. The following received certificates as nurses: Virginia E. Conners, West Liberty, and Alice A. Williams, Mount Vernon. The annual alumni banquet was held in the evening.

To Sell Sloux City & Pacific. SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 2 .- A Washington special to the Journal says: Secretaries Gage and Hitchcock and the attorney general, the commission appointed to settle the indebtedness of the Sioux City & Pacific railroad, have decided to offer the road for sale at an upset price. The government will adopt the same process as was can't preserve him from the skin eruptions Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Fa followed in the case of the Union Pacific and the Kansas Pacific in disposing of its interests in the property. In Sioux City it is considered that the open to the poorest person in the land.

Illinois Central and Great Northern.

Undertakers to Convene. FORT DODGE, Ia., April 2 .- (Special.)-The undertakers of Iowa will hold a state gathering at Boone May 21. Large delegations from all over the state are expected to attend. The program will include papers and discussions on all subjects of interest to undertakers. Leading undertakers from all over the state have been given places on the program. At the close of the convention the examination for embalmers. under the direction of the Iowa State Board of Health, will be held.

Soldier III on Way Home. FORT DODGE, Ia., April 2 .- (Special.)-

Melvin Hill, a United States soldier on his way home from the Philippines, is at the City hospital, seriously ill with dysentery. Hill landed in San Francisco Wednesday and was on his way to Belvidere, Ill., where he has a brother. He was taken sick on the way and was unable to go farther when The republicans of Hardin county have he reached Fort Dodge. He is receiving all nominated a full ticket at primaries as possible care, but is considered seriously brother has been sent for.

## DAKOTA DECISIONS Holding of Court Wipes Ont Contest

PIERRE, S. D., April 2 .-- (Special Tele-

Over Board of Char-

gram.)-The supreme court today handed are in circulation in Lucas county and an down decisions in the following cases: By Fuller-Lottle B. Sixta et al against Minnie

Plano company against John R. Millage; Lincoln county; affirmed. John Wampol against John T. Kountz and Hattie Kountz; Bon Homme county; afirmed,

8. S. Elod, administrator, against Perry

D. Ashton; Hamlin county; reversed. shion; Hamlin county; reversed.
A. Houts et al against Fred A. Barth; Turner county; affirmed.

By Haney— Stote of South Dakota against Philemon Dunning and Charles Longstaff; Beadle Dunning and Charles Longstaff; Beadle county; reversed,
Annie Unard against Grand Lodge Ancient Order of United Workmen and Emma Roberts; Minnehaha county; reversed.
M. L. Littlejohn against County Line Creamery company; Lake county; modified,
Lyman county against Board of Commissioners of Lyman county; appealed,
George W. Roberts against Kandal T.
Barker and Frank Parker, Vankter county.

Parker and Frank Parker; Yankton county By Corson—

Wyman Partridge & Co. against J. W.
Werner; Minnehaha county; affirmed.

John Zerahn against Michael Zeeling et
al; Lawrence county; affirmed on rehearing.

William Hall against Fred S. Fisher et al; Jerauld county; affirmed.

Horace K. Thurber against Mary C. Miller et al; Lawrence county; reversed.

S. W. Marrigang against Brown county; Brown county; affirmed.

In this last case the court holds that an act of the legislature, duly authorized by the presiding officer and governor and filed in the office of the secretary of state, is like a judgment and gives it validity, regardless of any technical errors in the journals of the house by legislative employes. This practically wipes out the contest mentioned in the Board of Charities' case of the invalidity of that law on ac

### STOCK GROWERS TO MEET

Western South Dakota Association Will Convene in Rapid City April 8 and 9.

RAPID CITY, S. D., April 2 .- (Special.)-Rapid City people are planning for great time when the members of the Western South Dakota Stock Growers' association meets here, April 8 and 9. The expectation is that the meeting will be the largest ever held. A program has been arranged by the business men of this city condition of the various fruits, on the basis and the meeting will have the nature of a Fourth of July celebration. On the first day of the meet the following program will be observed: At 10 a. m., parade of cowboys, stockmen, commission men business houses; 11 a. m., meeting of executive committee of association; 1 p. m. 5 p. m., riding pitching horses, prize \$75. The program for April 9 is: At 1 p. m., horse race, first prize \$50, second prize \$25; 3 p. m., riding wild steer, prize \$25; 5 p. m., cow pony race, first prize \$25, second prize \$15.

> IN TARGET GALLERY

John Gregory Receives Accidental MITCHELL, S. D., April 2 .- (Special Telegram.)-John Gregory, aged 16, who was accidentally shot in the head in a target gallery Saturday night, died here this aft-

Black Hills Horses for Troops. FORT MEADE, S. D., April 2 .- (Special. -Clark Anderson and H. Bunting of Sturgis have been awarded the contract for furnishcounty recorder of Webster county for a ing the horses for the Thirteenth cavalry, new town to be named Gypsum City. The which is being enlisted at this fort. Antown is at what is now known as Carbon derson is to furnish 214 at \$109 per head rauch on Sybille creek and accused him of

The Bedfast Man Got Up and Went to Business.

This is the way it was. The man had his case. BURLINGTON, Ia., April 2.—(Special all winter. He had three of the best phy. read it who will remember the circumcondition suggested his own, and he said: cure rheumatism but diseases in general

> If every sick person would reason as ula, erysipelas, boils, pimples, ulcers, sores, logically and act as promptly as did this etc. The cures effected by "Golden Medman, there would be many more bedfast ical Discovery' are perfect and permapeople able to be up and go to business, nent. Some medicines drive the surface Every human body is organically alike, symptoms of the disease in, instead of The blood is the life of the richest man out; they cover disease but do not cure as well as the poorest. If a king's blood it. 'Golden Medical Discovery' drives out

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to be cured he has to use the means

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three of our best physicians. All through

came along who was going to town (we

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candidly admitted that the Golden Medical Discovery' was doing more for him than he had been able to do. In less than two weeks my father was up with his clothes on. He continued taking the medicine and in a short time was well, and ever afterward loud in his praise of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery' as he told of the wonderful cure performed in

"You may publish this if you desire to been sick with "rheumatism and a compit-cation of trouble," and had been bedfast do so. I have no doubt that many will

Not only does it "That medicine is just what I need. Send which have their cause in an impure condition of the blood, such as eczema, scrof-

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purities which cause disease. and it establishes the body in sound health.

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low in his body as in any other man's. If a two ago I was reading one of your Memomillionaire's blood be impure his wealth randum Books and I decided to try Dr. which usually indicate the blood's impuri- vorite Prescription,' and am entirely cured.

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> der similar conditions. That was the ar-Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the bowels and stimulate the sluggish liver.

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a number of bids before the department, dealers of the Black Hills consider that they have scored a victory, since the de- by taking refuge behind some horses. partment has decided to take native horses for the entire lot. There will be no difficulty in getting the required number for this contract from the horsemen around

this part of the range. Shooting Over Cattle. CHEYENNE, Wyo., April 2 .- (Special.) --A ranchman from the north reports that the cause of the shooting between T. Theusen of Squaw mountain and W.

Montgomery of Wheatland was as fol-Theusen met Montgomery at the Henecke

the men quarreled. A scuffle ensued and the highest being for \$149, a bid made by Montgomery is alleged to have given a horse raiser in Missouri. The horses Theusen a thrashing. As the men parted are to be supplied by May 20. The horse Theusen is alleged to have fired several shots at Montgomery, who escaped injury Thuesen will be tried at the April term of the district court on the charge of assault with intent to kill. New South Dakota Mine Inspector.

LEAD, S D., April 2 .- (Special.) -The new state inspector of mines. Thomas Gregory began his duties today. James Cusick, who has held the position for two years, will devote all of his time to mining. There has been a remarkable freedom from deaths and accidents among the mines of the Black Hills during the time that Cusick has served as mine inspector.

Wheels! Wheels! Wheels! How they go!

Junction, about eight miles from this city, and Bunting the same number at \$104.50 starting reports that Montgomery mawhere extensive gypsum mills have been per head. The horses will be taken from liciously turned Theusen's stock out of a Ride a Bee wheel and be in the swim.